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LETTER TO PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE AFTER RCE

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,
SIR/MADAM:

In response to the final Office action dated December 22, 2004, please consider the following remarks and arguments set forth in this Letter To Patent And Trademark Office After RCE.

REMARKS

No claims have been amended herein. Claims 24-33 and 70-82 will be pending upon entry of this Letter To Patent And Trademark Office After RCE. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims.

1. Rejection of Claims 24-33 and 70-82 Under 35 U.S.C. §103(a)

Reconsideration is requested of the rejection of claims 24-33 and 70-82 under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Tanzer (WO 01/15646) in view of Yang et al. (U.S. 5,539,056).

Claim 24 is directed to a laminate structure comprising at least a portion of a first layer attached to at least a portion